

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Mark T. Martin

Serial No.  10/039,471

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For **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR MODIFYING
BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE TARGET MOLECULES**

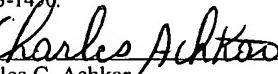
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28, 2006 up to and including July 28, 2006. The Director is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-0540.

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Respectfully submitted,

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